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ACTION:

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INFO:

PARIS for NATO, POLAD GINGARIN, POLAD-SAGHART, USU, NEW YORK

Council Organization American States, acting/as Organ Consultation under (COAS/OC); For lack instructions
Rio Treaty, today approved 19 in favor, none against, 1 abstention (Uruguay)
resolution which, after appropriate references Rio Treaty and communique informal MEM, states

NOTE COAS AS PROVISIONAL ORGAN CONSULTATION RESOLVES:

1. Call for immediate dismantling and withdrawal from Cuba of all missiles and other weapons with any offensive capability;
2. Recommend that member states, in accordance Arts 6 and 8 Rio Treaty take all measures, individually and collectively including use armed force, which they may deem necessary to ensure that GOC cannot continue receive from Sino-Soviet powers military material and related supplies which may threaten peace security Continent and to prevent missiles in Cuba with offensive capability from ever becoming active threat to peace security Continent;
3. Inform UNSC of this resolution in accordance Art 54 UN Charter and express hope SC will, in accordance US draft resolution, dispatch UN observers to Cuba earliest moment.

4. Continue

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provisionally
4. Continue serve ~~unofficially~~ as OC and request Member States keep Orga-
duly informed of measures taken by them in accordance para 2. END QUOTE

At preceding morning session Council US submitted procedural resolution by
which COMS resolved convoked Organ Consultation under Rio Treaty and to act
itself provisionally as Organ in accordance Art 15. This approved 17 votes,
Bolivia abstaining for lack instructions. Following are details voting resolution
quoted above:

Uruguay abstained throughout, explaining abstention QUOTE temporary UNQUOTE
due lack instructions and reserving right rectify later. On para by para
voting above quoted resolution, para 1 approved 18 votes (Uruguay abstained
Peru absent in effort obtain telephonic instructions.) First half para 2
re preventing continued receipt military supplies by Cuba approved 16 for,
3 abstentions (Mexico Bolivia Uruguay) ~~Peru absent in effort obtain telephonic instructions~~
absent.) Second half para 2 beginning QUOTE and to prevent ~~the~~ missiles in
Cuba UNQUOTE approved 16 votes, 4 abstentions (Brazil Mexico and Bolivia
Uruguay) ~~Peru absent in effort obtain telephonic instructions~~. Paras 3 and 4 adopted 19 for, 1 abstention
(Uruguay).

End

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